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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Plans  
SUBJECT : Freds Launags

1. This memorandum contains a request for your approval in paragraph 4.

2. On 17 August 1967, SB Division prepared a memorandum recommending termination of all contact with Subject, a former CS agent who has now developed schizophrenia and engaged in activities which could embarrass the CIA. Because publicity concerning Subject might have an effect upon the entire Agency, the memorandum was forwarded to the General Counsel for an opinion. (A copy of the memorandum is attached as Tab A.)

3. On 6 September, the Assistant General Counsel replied that he could see no legal or other reason to preclude termination of support or contact, but he thought that termination is a decision for the DDP or the Executive Director-Comptroller. This reply was concurred in by the Legislative Counsel. (A copy of the reply is attached as Tab B.)

4. Your approval of the termination of all further support to or contact with Subject is requested.

David E. Murphy  
Chief, Soviet Bloc Division

ATTACHMENTS: As stated above.

APPROVED: \* [Signature]  
Deputy Director for Plans

DATE: 22 Sept 67

cc: Chief, CI Staff

\*Subject to Exec-Director review.

Concur:

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